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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title

: METHOD OF INDUCING OR ENHANCING CHONDROGENESIS WI

EXTRACELLULAR MATRIX CONTAINING BMP-4

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

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**Total Claims** 

23

19

\$36

Independent

16

12

\$168

First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims

\$140

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 3 month

extension of time.

\$465

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$809

A check for \$809 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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